

Implementation of Vacatur" (RIN1615-AA22) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on March 18, 2021; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-649. A communication from the Attorney-Advisor, Office of General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a vacancy in the position of Chief Financial Officer, Department of Transportation, received in the Office of the President of the Senate on March 17, 2021; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-650. A communication from the Attorney-Advisor, Office of General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a vacancy in the position of Administrator, Department of Transportation, received in the Office of the President of the Senate on March 17, 2021; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. WARNER, from the Select Committee on Intelligence:

Special Report entitled "Report of the Select Committee on Intelligence Covering the Period January 4, 2019 to January 3, 2021" (Rept. No. 117-2).

By Mr. BROWN, from the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:

Special Report entitled "Report on the Activities of the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs of the United States Senate During the 116th Congress" (Rept. No. 117-3).

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEE

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. REED for the Committee on Armed Services.

Space Force nominations beginning with Col. Dennis O. Bythewood and ending with Col. James E. Smith, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on January 6, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Brig. Gen. Sharon R. Bannister and ending with Brig. Gen. Paul A. Friedrichs, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Brig. Gen. John J. Allen and ending with Brig. Gen. Daniel H. Tulley, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Navy nominations beginning with Rear Adm. (lh) James A. Aiken and ending with Rear Adm. (lh) George M. Wikoff, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Navy nominations beginning with Capt. Christopher D. Alexander and ending with Capt. Mark A. Schafer, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Navy nominations beginning with Capt. Ronald J. Piret and ending with Capt. Ralph R. Smith III, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 24, 2021.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. (lh) Joseph D. Noble, Jr., to be Rear Admiral.

Navy nominations beginning with Rear Adm. (lh) William E. Chase III and ending

with Rear Adm. (lh) John A. Okon, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 24, 2021.

Marine Corps nominations beginning with Col. Joseph R. Clearfield and ending with Col. Ahmed T. Williamson, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 3, 2021.

Marine Corps nomination of Col. Sean N. Day, to be Brigadier General.

Marine Corps nomination of Brig. Gen. Mark A. Hashimoto, to be Major General.

Navy nomination of Vice Adm. Samuel J. Paparo, Jr., to be Admiral.

Mr. REED, Mr. President, for the Committee on Armed Services I report favorably the following nomination lists which were printed in the RECORDS on the dates indicated, and ask unanimous consent, to save the expense of reprinting on the Executive Calendar that these nominations lie at the Secretary's desk for the information of Senators.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Air Force nominations beginning with Tasrif Ahmed and ending with Isaac D. Yourison, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Haider W. Aljewari and ending with Thomas M. Woolf, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Daniel James Aber and ending with Daniel Scott Zevitz, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Erin E. Artz and ending with Seth P. Wilson, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Michelle R. Alders and ending with April Lashel Woody, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Aaron J. Agirre and ending with Gregory S. Zilinski, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Benjamin Berzinis and ending with Clinton K. Wahl, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Jose C. Aguirre and ending with Scott M. Zelasko, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Nicholas B. Duvall and ending with Scott D. Wright, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Diane M. Caldera and ending with William A. Pashley, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Bryan Mark Bailey and ending with Jason P. Willey, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nomination of Conn P. McKelvey, to be Colonel.

Air Force nominations beginning with Adam H. Fisher and ending with Sylvette

Ortiz, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Tina C. Benivegna and ending with Gia Marie Wilson-Mackey, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Gary L. Frisard and ending with Brian J. Pearson, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Barry E. Dickson, Jr. and ending with Amy L. Hunt, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Amie M. Douglas and ending with Semih S. Kumru, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Robert E. Beyler and ending with Nicole P. Wishart, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Charlotte C. Appleton and ending with John M. Tudela, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Jennifer A. Alfar and ending with Matthew L. Hudkins, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Louis Edward Bellace and ending with Cynthia M. Washington, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nomination of Paul Joseph Sinuk, to be Colonel.

Air Force nomination of Christopher J. Blaney, to be Colonel.

Air Force nomination of Richard D. Engleman, to be Colonel.

Air Force nomination of Elizabeth A. Beal, to be Colonel.

Air Force nominations beginning with Jeffrey D. Adkins and ending with Melissa M. Tallent, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nomination of David L. Walker, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Air Force nomination of Raeann H. Macalma, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Air Force nomination of Joshua B. Allen, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Air Force nominations beginning with Michael Jon Bates and ending with David M. Jackson, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nomination of Laurie Ann Flagg Inacio, to be Colonel.

Air Force nominations beginning with Matthew R. Allen and ending with Shaun M. Willhite, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Peter Brian Abercrombie II and ending with Christopher C. Wood, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Gregory M. Adams and ending with Ryan A. Zeitler, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Obi Agborbesong and ending with Bryce D. Warren, which nominations were received by the

Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Kevin W. Byrd and ending with William L. Weiford III, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Michael R. Andrews and ending with Ronnie B. Young, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Air Force nominations beginning with Pedro E. Avila Morales and ending with Katelyn M. Zeringue, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Army nominations beginning with Mark S. Born and ending with Henry Cartagena, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Army nominations beginning with Michael L. Barnett and ending with James B. Prisock, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Army nomination of Lawrence B. Austin, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of John B. Blackburn, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Carlos J. Kavetsky, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Laronda D. Davis, to be Major.

Army nomination of Alvin D. Schwapp, Jr., to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Randall S. Bossler, Jr., to be Major.

Army nominations beginning with Joseph A. Marty and ending with Brian W. McCoy, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Army nomination of Fenicia L. Jackson, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Jermain Y. Williams, to be Major.

Army nominations beginning with Timothy M. Benedict and ending with Susan Stankorb, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Army nominations beginning with Harris A. Abbasi and ending with D015486, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Army nominations beginning with Silas C. Abrenica and ending with Daniel J. Yourk, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Army nominations beginning with Paul E. Baker and ending with Stephen L. Willson, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Army nominations beginning with Jonathan E. Abshire and ending with D015253, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Army nominations beginning with Nathanael B. Achor and ending with D014388, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Army nomination of Ikechukwu L. Eweama, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Edward F. Burke, to be Colonel.

Army nominations beginning with Rob R. Billings and ending with Ovid Villarreal, Jr., which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Army nomination of Stephen F. Barker, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Army nominations beginning with James Acevedo and ending with Lashell Y. Davis, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Army nominations beginning with Joseph A. Anderson and ending with John M. Winston III, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Army nomination of Michael W. Mundle, to be Colonel.

Army nomination of Douglas W. Hedrick, to be Colonel.

Army nominations beginning with Nicholas A. Abbott and ending with D015207, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Marine Corps nominations beginning with Michael J. Allen and ending with Christopher M. Smith, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on January 6, 2021.

Marine Corps nominations beginning with Douglas A. Mayorga and ending with Mark L. Oldroyd, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on January 6, 2021.

Marine Corps nomination of Jonathon T. Frerichs, to be Lieutenant Colonel.

Marine Corps nominations beginning with William S. Chairsell III and ending with Richard W. Wilson, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Navy nomination of Rodney A. Noah, to be Lieutenant Commander.

Navy nomination of Jonathan S. Channell, to be Captain.

Navy nomination of Hassan A. Brown, to be Commander.

Navy nomination of James G. O'Loughlin, to be Lieutenant Commander.

Navy nominations beginning with Philip P. Castellano and ending with Gregory J. Yamamoto, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Navy nomination of Peter Minh V. Nguyen, to be Lieutenant Commander.

Navy nomination of Troy T. Tartaglia, to be Captain.

Space Force nominations beginning with Raj Agrawal and ending with Sacha N. Tomlinson, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Space Force nominations beginning with Leroy Brown, Jr. and ending with Forrest D. Taylor, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Space Force nominations beginning with Christopher A. Kennedy and ending with Derek B. Worth, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Space Force nominations beginning with Lance E. Basgall and ending with Stephanie J. Webb, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

Space Force nominations beginning with Mark C. Bigley and ending with Stephen G. Lyon, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on February 22, 2021.

(Nominations without an asterisk were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed.)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first

and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. KING:

S. 891. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to establish a refundable tax credit for the installation of energy efficient air source heat pumps; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. WYDEN:

S. 892. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to ensure that kombucha is exempt from any excise taxes and regulations imposed on alcoholic beverages; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. MENENDEZ (for himself and Mr. SULLIVAN):

S. 893. A bill to support the use of technology in maternal health care; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. BRAUN (for himself and Ms. HASSAN):

S. 894. A bill to identify and refer members of the Armed Forces with a health care occupation who are separating from the Armed Forces for potential employment with the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. CORNYN (for himself, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. CARPER, Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. WICKER, and Ms. SINEMA):

S. 895. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide an exemption from gross income for mandatory restitution or civil damages as recompense for trafficking in persons; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. KENNEDY:

S. 896. A bill to amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to establish additional criteria for determining when employers may join together in a group or association of employers that will be treated as an employer under section 3(5) of such Act for purposes of sponsoring a group health plan, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Ms. ERNST (for herself, Ms. HASSAN, Mr. TILLIS, and Ms. SINEMA):

S. 897. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the limitation of the exclusion for dependent care assistance programs; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. BALDWIN (for herself, Mr. BRAUN, Ms. SMITH, and Ms. MURKOWSKI):

S. 898. A bill to require reporting regarding certain drug price increases, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. BLUMENTHAL:

S. 899. A bill to establish the Intercity Passenger Rail Trust Fund to ensure a safe, sustainable, convenient transportation option for the people of the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. WHITEHOUSE (for himself and Mr. REED):

S. 900. A bill to amend title 40, United States Code, to establish a Southern New England Regional Commission, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mrs. GILLIBRAND (for herself, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. BOOKER, Ms. WARREN, Mr. PADILLA, Mr. KAINE, Mr. MERKLEY, and Ms. KLOBUCHAR):

S. 901. A bill to provide access to counsel for children and other vulnerable populations; to the Committee on the Judiciary.